

## The True Northerner.

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### REPUBLICAN TICKET.

For President—JAMES G. BLAINE, of Maine.  
For Vice President—JOHN A. LOGAN, of Illinois.

### Exit Sammy.

Now is the time to organize clubs of "Plumed Knights," everywhere. It is early work that tells.

All good republicans will give the nominees of the party a hearty support. Men are nothing, principles everything.

The success of the republican party means the extinction of the remaining "twin relics," polygamy, to be accomplished peacefully if it can be, forcibly, if it must be.

As a specimen of egotism the letter of the great, self-styled reformer, S. J. T., declining to be the candidate of the democracy, has seldom been equaled and never excelled.

Tammany threatens to knife Gov. Cleveland, should he receive the democratic nomination. The democracy have a big job on their hands, in undertaking to reconcile their warring factions.

Our democratic friends have not yet disposed of Ben Butler. Let no other candidate be too sure of a nomination while old Ben is on the course. The democracy may yet have to join the greenbackers in wearing a silver spoon for a campaign badge.

It is safe to say that Mr. Blaine will never write a letter of acceptance that will compare with Mr. Tilden's letter of declination. —New York World.

Entirely safe. Mr. Blaine will never make such a supreme display of egotism as is shown in that letter.

Every young man in this township, who desires the success of the republican party, should unite with our "Young Men's Republican Club." It costs you nothing to become a member, and in no other way can you contribute so much to the success of the cause.

Democratic journals are loth to believe Uncle Sammy tells the truth in his letter of withdrawal. Even the Detroit Free Press would like to believe that he was dishonest and don't mean what he says. Well, it is only natural they should think the sly old fox is dissembling. The idea is entirely in keeping with his past record.

The republican platform gives forth no uncertain sound on the subject of protection to American industries. It pledges the party fairly and squarely to the doctrine of protection. Now let us see if the democratic party has the courage of its convictions, and if it will speak as explicitly in favor of its free-trade dogma, or whether it will dodge the issue and obscure it with verbose and unmeaning platitudes.

Mr. Roswell P. Flower is a prominent candidate for the democratic nomination at Chicago. It is said that, unlike Governor Cleveland, one of his most formidable competitors, he has been very careful not to antagonize the former sage of Granary Park, and that the influence of the late S. J. T. will be exerted in his behalf. Should he be nominated, the November frosts will destroy him. It will be altogether too late in the season for that Flower to bloom.

The following plank in the republican platform will commend itself to the good judgment of the American people: "The public lands are a heritage of the people of the United States, and should be reserved, as far as possible, for small holdings of actual settlers. We are opposed to the acquisition of large tracts of these lands by corporations or individuals, especially where such holdings are in the hands of non-resident aliens, and we will endeavor to obtain such legislation as will tend to correct this evil."

That Mr. Blaine should be maligned and vilified by his political opponents, is no more than was expected. No man can occupy the high positions filled by Mr. Blaine during the past quarter of a century, without becoming a target for slander and vilification. Abraham Lincoln was called a gorilla, Gen. Garfield was accused of selling himself for the paltry sum of \$329, and even the Father of his country, who has been held up before the eyes of American youth for generations, as the model man, was accused of trying to sacrifice the liberties of his country and to make himself a monarch. Andrew Jackson and Thomas Jefferson, men whose memory is revered by the American people, were made the subjects of the most vile and bitter slanders.

But the people put their seal of condemnation on those who traduced them, and the memory of all these men live, and will live in the hearts of their grateful countrymen, while the very names of their traducers have been forgotten. Our people are far too well informed, too enlightened, to be led astray by any such clap-net.

The republican platform demands the repeal of the limitation clause, in the arrears of pensions act. That is right and just. If a veteran soldier is entitled to a pension at all, he should have it from the date of disability or discharge. A great effort has been made in this country to prejudice the people against pensioning soldiers. It wasn't so in the dark and dreary days of the rebellion. Then the country was ready to promise anything, provided the boys would peril their health and their lives for its salvation. The soldiers responded nobly to the call, and saved the nation from destruction. Many of them are dragging out a miserable and painful existence as a result of such service, while the most able bodied are becoming prematurely old as a direct consequence of the exposures and hardships which they endured. There is not the slightest danger that they will be too liberally rewarded for the services they rendered.

Blaine was nominated on Friday—unlucky day. —Free Press & Courier

A little brushing up in its history would have shown the Courier that Friday is not an unlucky day in America.

Friday, Columbus sailed on his voyage of discovery.

Friday, ten weeks after, he discovered America.

Friday, Henry III of England gave John Cabot his commission, which led to the discovery of North America.

Friday, St. Augustine, the oldest town in the U. S., was founded.

Friday, the Mayflower, with the Pilgrims, arrived at Plymouth, and on Friday they signed that august compact, the forerunner of the constitution.

Friday, Geo. Washington was born.

Friday, Banker Hill was seized and fortified.

Friday, the surrender of Saratoga was made.

Friday, Cornwallis surrendered Yorktown.

On Friday the motion was made in Congress that the United Colonies ought to be free and independent.

### Lawton.

Miss Gertie Bitley is visiting friends at Pierson.

L. Stern & Co. were packing and shipping wool last week.

N. O. Martin has a brand new gig in which he rides around.

J. S. Dunn and wife of Ann Arbor, have been spending a few days in town.

C. H. Smith goes to Vicksburg, Friday, to pitch for the Vicksburg base ball club.

John Felton says those young ladies did not work the show racket on him the second time.

Juan McKee has put in a new front at his store, which greatly improves its appearance.

Reported, that Ed Carpenter will not paddle his own canoe any longer, but will soon take a partner.

Strawberries have dropped to 5 cents, but the bottoms of those little quart boxes have not dropped a bit.

Henry Ford has painted his house and made considerable improvement; he has also a neat bay window on the house.

Lon Melchor of Battle Creek, and Charles Melchor of Canton, Ill., have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Stocking of this place.

At the request of the Free Masons, Rev. O. D. Watkins will give a public lecture at the M. E. church, on Tuesday evening, June 24th, St. John's day. Subject, the origin and workings of Masonry.

Robyns' comedy company gave a first-class entertainment at G. A. R. hall, Friday evening, to a small house. They also played Saturday evening, and should have been a little better patronized by our people.

The following are the teachers of the Lawton union school: Principal, Eugene Hinckley of Decatur; Grammar Dept., Miss Etelle Davis of this place; Intermediate, Miss Kitty Cooper of Prospect Lake; Primary, Miss Anna E. Dewey of Lawrence.

In the Kalamazoo vs. Lawton game, Saturday, Fred Lich was knocked out of time at first base by the ball striking him near the temple. He says he did not think that was on the programme, although it might have resulted more seriously.

Myron Smith has traded his lot south of the hotel to Geo. Robinson for his store building and lot on Main street. He has already gone to work overhauling it and will make a first-class store of it. It will probably be occupied by Levi Stoker as a furniture room.

Reuben Green, an old and highly respected resident of this place, died at his residence, Tuesday evening at nine o'clock. He has been a sufferer from consumption for years. The funeral took place at the house, Thursday afternoon at two o'clock, the remains being interred in the cemetery east of the village. Mr. Green was about 55 years of age.

A large crowd assembled Saturday to witness the national game between the Lawton and Kalamazoo clubs, which resulted in a score of 15 to 4 in favor of Lawton. The Kalamazoo had a strong club and for the first few innings it looked like a hard struggle, but the Lawtons' fielding and terrific batting won them the game with an inning to spare. The Kalamazoo scored in the third and fourth inning, receiving seven white-washes, while the Lawtons scored in every inning but the first two. Stan. Briggs of Paw Paw, umpired the game. A return game will be played at Kalamazoo next week Tuesday. The boys extend thanks to the citizens who subscribed to defray the expenses of the club. The fine catching of Frank Morrill and his second base throwing was the feature of the game. Few men can steal second when he is behind the bat.

The thousands who suffered with rheumatism and Neuralgia had a hard time of it till the discovery of ATHLOPHOROS. Now they needn't suffer if they don't want to. S. R. Dennen, D. D., Third Congregational church, New Haven, writes thus: "Have long been a victim of Rheumatism. During a recent severe attack I commenced to take ATHLOPHOROS on Friday. Sunday I was in my pulpit. Monday I went to Boston well, and have remained so. You have indeed found a specific."

### Miscellaneous Adv's.

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